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—OR—

OREGON RHEUMATIC CURE.

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This Remedy is composed of the active principle of the Unk Weed—Eng. Thaspium Cordatum Origluis. Lat.—Indigenous to Oregon Grows most abundantly and perfectly in Washington Co

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It contains an **ACTIVE VOLATILE** Principle, extracted by Ether, and a bitter **TONIC** Principle soluble in Alcohol.

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It is the most sure and speedy cure for

Rheumatism, Rheumatic Gout and Rheumatic Pains of all kinds

That was ever introduced in the Materia Medica. The **UNK WEED REMEDY**, as prepared by us, in consequence of the existing bitter principle, possesses the necessary virtue of being a

Powerful Tonic.

Promoting the Appetite and Invigorating the whole Digestive Apparatus, thus building up and strengthening the system, while at the same time the volatile principle being absorbed in the blood, acts specifically on the Rheumatic Poison, removing it from the circulation and system

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PREPARED AT THE
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TOOTHACHE OR HEADACHE CURED IN FROM ONE TO THREE MINUTES,

AND

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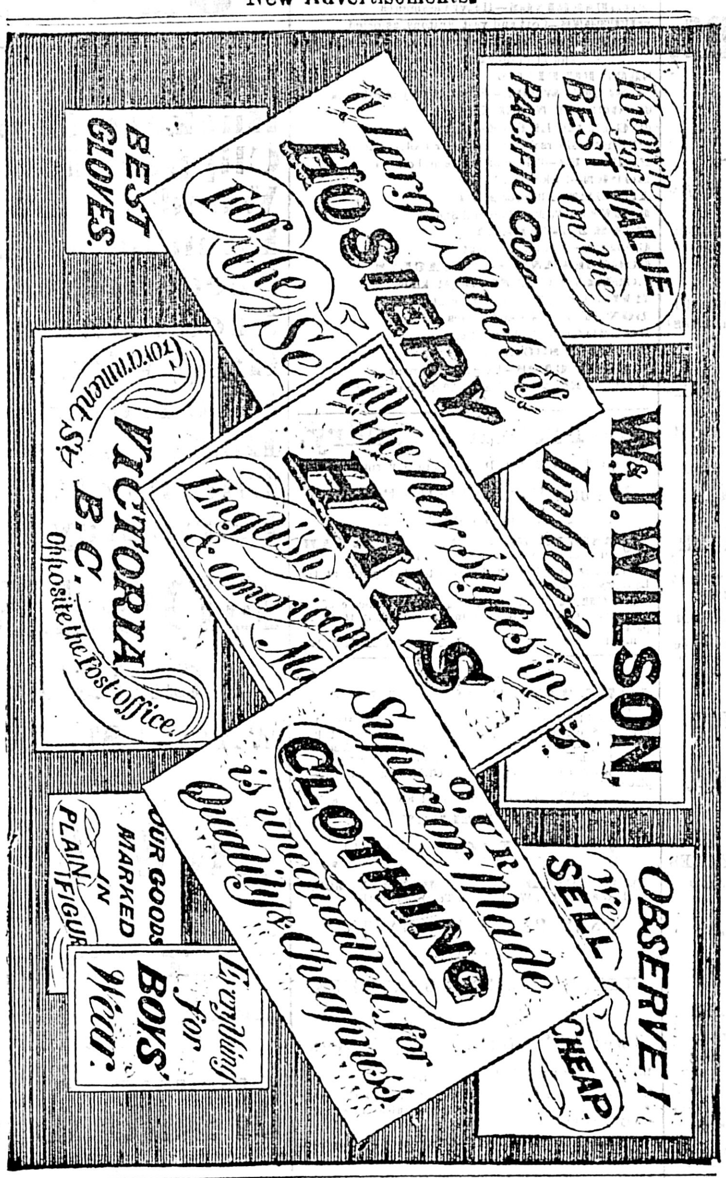

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20 half barrels do do

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N.B.—An assortment of Gents' Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes, of English make for sale at COST, to make room for his own manufactures. ap10d&w

Notices.

Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To GERARD PLOOIS, of Sections LVIII and LXVIII Lake District,

To HENRY SAUNDERS, Sections XXXVIII and LV Esquimalt District,

Unless objection be made to me in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.
Saturday, 23d March, 1872. m24

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To JOHN BRYDEN, of Section 19, Range I., Cedar District.

To HENRY BONSALL, of Section 6, Range III, Comiaken District.

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof, respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office. Registrar General.
6th April, 1872 ap7 3m

Licences Ordinance 1867

It is hereby notified for general information that Licenses under the above Ordinance for the current half-year ending June 30th, 1872, are due and payable at the Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Bastion Street Victoria.

No further intimation will be given to those liable to pay Licenses under the above act,

By Order, H B GOOD,
fel Clerk to Stipendiary Magistrate

Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870" and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to

JOSEPH WEBB of Suburban Lot No 7, Newcastle Town, said to contain 5.39 acres

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the mean time against the issue thereof.

H B W AIKMAN,
Registrar General.
Land Registry, Feb 2nd, 1872. fe4 3m

Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to WILLIAM PARSONS SAYWARD, of West half of Section 1, Range 6, Chemainus District.

Unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime against the issue thereof respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General.
10th April, 1872. ap14

Card of Thanks to Dr Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong, which charge, I may also say, was reasonable. My complaint was neuralgia.

WILLIAM McCORMICK.
Victoria, Aug 24th, 1871. fe17

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.

se30 Lo. LOWENBERG.

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.

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STATEMENT

Showing the Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, from November 7th, 1870, to 27th February, 1872.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand 7th Nov., 1870	$ 204 74	
Real Estate Rate	6,473 95	
Business Rate	2,542 60	
Horse Rate	150 00	
Dog Rate	14 00	
Road Tax	1,355 80	
Fines and Fees, Acc't	20 00	
Affidavit Acc't	6 00	
Fire Insurance Rate Acc't	3,414 27	
Fire Rate Acc't	360 01	
City Pound Acc't	351 26	
Bank B. N. America		
Balance due by Bank 7th Nov 1870	601 02	
Balance due to Bank 27th Feb, 1872	56 3	657 89
		$15,5_6 41

DISBURSEMENTS.

Payments on account of liabilities incurred prior to 7th Nov, 1870.		
Street Repairs Acc't	$1,161 91	
Salaries Acc't	590 74	1,752 65
Payments on account of liabilities incurred from 7th Nov 1870, to 27th Feb 1872 viz		
Court of Revision	$ 31 50	
Board of Health	188 00	
Legal expenses	40 00	
Street Repairs	4 782 57	
Sewerage	54 00	
Fire Cisterns	321 50	
Surveying Expenses	331 70	
Thistle Acc't	1:3 75	
Victoria Fire Department	2 837 30	
City Pound	2 5 60	
New Steam Fire Hose	798 27	
Charges Account, viz:		
Salaries	2 2:2 00	
Printing and Stationery	491 21	
Rent	240 00	
Light and Fuel	55 70	
Auditors	743 0	
Copying Assessment Rolls	27 75	
Miscellaneous Expenses	115 05	
Cash Balance on hand 27th Feb, 1872	2 84	13 782 76
		$15,535 41

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Council Chambers 27th Feb, 1872.

Certified that I have examined the foregoing accounts and found the same to be correct.

THOMAS R. HOLMES, Auditor.
April 17, 1872.

STATEMENT showing the Assets and Liabilities of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as at the 27th February, 1872.

ASSETS.

Office Furniture and Effects	$ 700 00
Real Estate (arrears)	3,945 52
Business Rate "	1 072 00
Road Tax "	400 00
Balance on hand	2 84
	$6,120 36

LIABILITIES.

On Street Repairs Account	$1,237 26
City Pound	24 10
Bank B N America	56 87
Auditor	200 00
Charges account	56 50
	$1,574 73

WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Council Chambers, 27th Feb, 1872.
Examined and found correct.
THOMAS R. HOLMES, Auditor.
April 17th, 1872. ap19

NOTICE

THE CREDITORS UNDER THE ASSIGNment of GEORGE ALEP are requested to send in their claims to Mr Jules Rueff, the Assignee, on or before the 25th inst, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the assignment.

ROBERT BISHOP, Solicitor.
Dated 16th April, 1872. ap17

Dentistry.

C FRANCIS BARNARD, MD.

SURGEON DENTIST.

DR. BARNARD HAS HAD FOR several months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth: he is also using "Whalebone-Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.

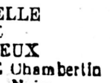
Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth

The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store, Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.

Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w1s

Mills Bowden,

DENTIST, 

May be found over H F Heister man's, Langley street from 9.30 a m to 4 p m. Back entrance on Government street. de7

Canadian Tariff!

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RUM
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do Miller Paullac
do Deluz
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FINE HOCK WINE
BURGANDY MOSSEUX
do WINE Chambertin
do do Nuits
do do St George
do do Pouilly
do do Chablis
SHERRY
SAUTERNE
do Paul Maury
BOKER'S BITTERS
ANGOSTURA do
HOSTETTER'S do
ORANGE do
COCKTAIL do

FRENCH LIQUORS

VERMOUTH
CURACOA
MARASCHINO
ABSINTHE
ANISETTE
KIRSCH
CASSIS
ASSORTED SYRUPS

CHAMPAGNE

SPARKLING MOSELLE—Nonpariel
NAPOLEON'S CABINET
BOUCHE FILS
VVE CLIQUOT
SPECIAL CUVEE
GRAPE LEAF
BANCROFT'S CIDER
CIDER in cask

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F. GRELLEY,
ap6 Agent for Preller & Co.

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COMMISSION & FORWARDING MERCHANTS.

Port Essington, Mouth of Skeena River, and Hazelton, Forks.

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of every kind will be sold at the smallest remunerative rates, Miners will also find every accommodation in their

RESTAURANT

in which meals equal to those that can be obtained in any Hotel in Victoria can be had.

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In connection with the Boating, C. & H. have also a Pack Train on the Babine Portage.

REMEMBER THE NAME

Cunningham & Hankin.

Port Essington and Hazelton.

A Bar stocked with the Best Brands of Liquors is attached to both their stores. ap6

A. B. GRAY,

Importer of

Dry Goods,

BEGS TO RETURN THANKS TO THE public for the liberal patronage accorded to him in the past, and respectfully solicits its continuance, whilst he is temporarily absent from the Province during which time his Stock will continuously receive additions from personal selections in the leading European markets

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA,
1st August, 1871. fe14

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NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICES:
London and Aberdeen.

CAPITAL - - £2000,000
STERLING.
All of which is fully Subscribed,
AND IN ADDITION
The Liability of Shareholders is Unlimited.

Will take Fire Risks in Victoria upon favorable terms.

LOSSES settled promptly by the Agents without Reference to Home Offices,

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Agents for British Columbia
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The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR
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DEPUTY GOVERNORS
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M P.
THE RIGHT HON THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES:
3 & 5 George Street, Edinburgh,
82 King William Street, } London,
3 Pall Mall, East,
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY:
WM THOS. THOMSON, F. R. S. E.
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY
D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

Total amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9

AGENT IN VICTORIA
ROBERT BURNABY
e15 Government Street

STANDARD Life Assurance Company

HEAD OFFICE, 3 & 5 GEORGE STREET, EDINBURGH
LONDON. } 82 KING WILLIAM STREET AND 3 PALL MALL EAST (West End Office).

EIGHTH DIVISION OF PROFITS.

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THE COMPANY has divided Profits on eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

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INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4,000 000.

ROBERT BURNABY Agent,
fe12 Victoria B C.

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For Insuring every kind of Property in all parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

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Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to

THOS. C. NUTTALL,
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del 1m Opposite Masonic Hall.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
INSTITUTED 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port Harbor or Dock and the Cargoes of such ships; also Ships building or repairing, Barge and other Vessels on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES,

FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

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One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds!

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WELCH, RITHET & CO,
Agents for British Columbia and Washington Territory.

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ESTABLISHED 1838.
INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL ACT OF PARLIAMENT
Subscribed Capital..............£600,000 stg.

TO PARTIES ABOUT EFFECTING an Assurance this Company offers every advantage. The undersigned are empowered to accept approved lives.

WELCH, RITHET & CO,
fe10 Agents for British Columbia.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y

OF SAN FRANCISCO;

MARINE.

INDIVIDUAL LIABILITY
Capital Stock - - - $750 000

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium &c, apply to

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
oc16 3m Agents

WM STEINBERGER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Wines & Liquors

JOHNSON STREET,
ja20 6m

The New School System.

The deplorable condition of the public schools—perhaps it would be more correct to say the absence of them—long constituted one of British Columbia's chief grievances; and no measure was more distinctly or more unanimously demanded than a system of free, nonsectarian education. Listening to the unequivocal voice of the people, it was one of the earliest acts of the new Government to introduce a Bill for the purpose of supplying this great public want. In order to give effect to the new system of education the sum of forty thousand dollars was placed on the Estimates. The new School Bill, although making no pretensions to perfection, was admitted on all hands to present a fair basis to work upon; and the country rejoiced at the near prospect of having a free education placed within the reach of every child. That Bill has become law, and a gentleman whose training under the admirable educational system of Ontario, whose long experience in teaching, and whose well-known energy and intimate acquaintance with the Province suggested his fitness for the onerous and important position, has been appointed Superintendent. It only remains to construct the Board of Education, in order to set the new educational machinery in motion throughout the Province. It is already pretty well understood that the Executive has encountered some difficulty at this point—that a number of gentlemen who have been invited to accept of seats on that Board have declined,—that this course has been sufficiently marked and general to occasion serious embarrassment. In order that the reader may grasp the full import of the 'situation,' let us glance at the principle functions of the Board: To adopt all such lawful means in their power, as they deem expedient, to advance the interests and usefulness of Public Schools; to select, adopt and prescribe a uniform series of text books, and to authorize the purchase and distribution thereof; to make and establish rules and regulations for the conduct of schools; to examine and give certificates of qualification to Teachers; to appoint Teachers and fix their salaries, and, upon cause shown, remove the same; to purchase such apparatus as in their judgment may be necessary for the use of schools throughout the Province, and to have the custody and control of distributing the same; to establish a separate school for females in any District where they may deem it expedient to do so; to establish a High School, in any District where they may deem it expedient so to do, wherin the classics, mathematics, and higher branches of education shall be taught. Such are, in substance, the functions of the Board of Education; and the reader will perceive at a glance that the Board comprises the fundamental Executive power of the whole system—is essential to its starting and continued motion. Until this Executive power is constituted and quickened not only must Victoria be deprived of the benefits of the system, but the whole Province must share in the deprivation—the whole system must remain a dead letter. It will thus be seen how great is the responsibility of those who decline to act on the Board One experiences little difficulty in understanding the motives which may not unfairly be presumed to actuate the enemies of a free, non-sectarian system of education in thus seeking to block the wheels of the new School Act; and we believe that we shall not be altogether unjustified in saying that the Government has, with a perversity characterising its course in some other respects, confined the invitations chiefly to those who are in reality at heart enemies of the system. But how shall the refusal of some of those who have in times past been amongst the loudest advocates of the new system be accounted for? Shall it be said of Victoria that she has prevented the school system going into operation, thereby depriving the entire Province of its advantages? It is stated that the enemies of Confederation, Responsible Government, and free, nonsectarian education are jubilant over the possible chance of breaking up the school system, and we hear that a prominent Canada-hater was seen to throw up his hat and go into ecstacies over the prospect of failure! Surely this is a time when the friends of free and liberal institutions should be willing to make some little sacrifice for their country. And it may become our duty to record the names of those who have been found willing to sacrifice their country's good to personal predilection or sectarian bigotry and intolerance. It will be as well, however, for those in Victoria who hope to crush the new school system in this way to remember that it may become the duty of the Government to look elsewhere for material with which to construct the Board of Education, Victoria is not the whole Province. Let her have a care that she does not become obnoxious to the rest of it.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits. *

New Advertisements.

A GRAND FETE AND BAZAAR!

UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF

His Excellency the Lieut-Governor

AND SIR JAMES DOUGLAS, K. C. B.

WILL BE HELD AT THE NEW CONVENT,

For the Benefit of the Orphans,

On Wednesday, 1st May, 1872.

THE DOORS WILL BE OPEN AT 2 P. M.

THE WORK, &c., some of which is of the most Beautiful description, will be displayed and offered for Sale in the large room opposite the Grand Entrance.

THE REFRESHMENT ROOMS will be provided with all the Delicacies of the Season

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC during the day by accomplished performers.

GAMES AND AMUSEMENTS for the Children.

In the Evening a VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT will be given by the Ladies who assist in the work, supported by Gentlemen Amateurs and the Victoria Brass Band.

ADMISSION—TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

COMMITTEE—Mrs. McQuade, Mrs. Huston, Mrs. Heywood, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Aikman, Mrs. Keast, Mrs. Farron, Miss Tynon, Mrs. Denny

Offerings of Work, &c., for the Bazaar will be received at St. Ann's Convent, View St, by the Lady Superior and gratefully acknowledged. ap23

FOR PORTLAND.

THE STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA

CAPTAIN HAYES,

Will leave Victoria for Portland direct on Friday, 26th inst.

For freight or passage apply to
ap23 E. B. ODRICK & CO, Agents.

Wallace & Hutcheson,

OFFER FOR SALE

Ex CALIFORNIA and to Arrive Per PRINCE ALFRED,

300 BRLS. FLOUR, assorted Standard Brands
10 TONS BRAN
10 TONS CHOP FEED
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5 TONS FEED OATS
5 TONS WHEAT

ALSO ON HAND

Norway and White Seed Oats, Seed Peas, Liverpool Dairy Salt, Fraser River Salmon in brls, Oregon Bacon & Lard, S I Syrup and Molasses, C. R. Coffee, Congou and U S Tea, Bell & Black's Wax Vestas in 250s and 500s, California Matches, Coal Oil, Tubs, Brooms, &c.

ALSO—An assortment of Rope all sizes.

Wharf St, Victoria, April 22, 1872. ap23 1m

THE STEAMER

VICTORIA

WILL COMMENCE HER trips from

Soda Creek to Quesnelle

ABOUT THE 1st MAY.

FREIGHT.....1 ct. ℔ lb
PASSAGE.....$5 00

All Goods consigned to us will be forwarded from Quesnelle to William or Lightning Cks.

Free of any Charge for Storage or Forwarding.

MARVIN & WRIGHT.

SODA CREEK, April 23, 1872. ap23

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
19th April, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a Premium of $250 will be paid by the Government of British Columbia, for an Essay which shall be adjudged to set forth, in the clearest, most comprehensive and compendious form, the capabilities, resources and advantages of this Province for settlement.

The following rules will govern the award:—

1. Competitors must send their Essay in a sealed cover, directed to the Provincial Secretary, on or about the 25th May next:
2. No name or marks to be attached to the Essay, whereby the writer can be known, but a distinguishing motto is to be attached:
3. A separate sealed envelope, addressed to the Provincial Secretary, with the motto chosen by such competitor written on the outside, and the name of competitor inside, is to be forwarded with each Essay.

The Essay to which the premium may be adjudged, if any, to become the absolute property of the Government; but the Government does not bind itself to award the premium to any of the Essays sent in, unless it should be deemed to merit the same.

The Essays of the successful competitors will be returned by the Government.

By command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
ap23 2w Provincial Sect'y.

A COURT OF GENERAL ASSIZE AND Goal Delivery and Nisi Prius will be held at each of the undermentioned places, as follows:—

New Westminster, Wednesday, 1st May.
Yale, Monday, 6th May,
Lytton, Thursday, 9th May,
Clinton, Tuesday, 14th May,
Quesnel, Saturday, 25th May,
Richfield, Friday, 5th June,
Richfield, Monday, 9th September,
Quesnel, Friday, 13th September,
Clinton, Monday, 23d September,
Lytton, Friday, 27th September,
Yale, Tuesday, 1st October.

Fall Assizes at New Westminster and Nanaimo (if any) at Nanaimo and elsewhere to be hereafter fixed as business may render necessary

Dated at Victoria, 15th April, 1872.

By Command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
ap23 Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

THOS. ALLSOP AND W. C. SIFFKEN having entered into partnership, will henceforth carry on business as Land Agents, Accountants, &c, under the name or firm of Thos. Allsop & Co.

THOS. ALLSOP,
W. C. SIFFKEN,
Government St, Victoria, 20th April, 1872. ap21

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AT LOW RATES ON FIRST CLASS Security.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES FOR Sale or to Let.

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The Otter for Skeena

THE H. B. CO'S STEAMER

OTTER,

CAPT. H. G. LEWIS,

Will sail for Skeena River, &c., on the day after the arrival of the steamer from San Francisco.

For Freight and Passage apply on board. [ap21

STEITZ BROS.,

Bakery and Coffee Saloon,

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY have fitted up a Private Room adjoining their

BAKERY & COFFEE SALOON,

For the Special Accommodation of Families. From our long residence and experience, and by promptness and attention we hope to receive a liberal share of public patronage.

OPEN AT ALL HOURS.

BREAD, PIES, ROLLS,
BUNS, CAKES, ETC.,
Constantly on hand.

N.B.—Entrance to the Private Room Next Door below Saloon, YATES STREET. ap20

Cash for Hides.

MESSRS. SWITZER & CO. HAVE COMmissioned me to [illegible]

Purchase Hides and Skins

For the Belmont Tannery and Shoe Factory.

ap21 R. MAYNARD, Fort street.

WANTED,

FOR ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, AN ORGANIST in consequence of the present one being about to leave the town.

ap20 Apply to the CHURCHWARDENS.

Beef Cattle for Sale.

80 HEAD OF FINE FAT 3 & 4 year old Steers at

Lewis Campbell's Ranch,
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TO FARMERS

SEED OATS,
SEED WHEAT,
CHEVALIER BARLEY

FOR SALE BY

D LENEVEU,
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LIME! LIME!

THE ADOPTION OF THE CANADIAN Tariff has enabled us to

REDUCE THE PRICE OF LIME

to $1 25 per Barrel.

Barrels to be returned; delivered to any part of the city.

MALTBY BROS.

Orders for any quantity may be left at C. Bossi's Government street. ap21

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

THE SCHOONER W. H. MEYER from San Francisco will commence discharging cargo at the M.B.Co.'s wharf on Monday morning.

Consignees are requested to call at the office of the undersigned, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

ap21 R. P. PICKETT & CO.

EX DELAWARE!

FROM HONOLULU.

SUGARS—NO'S 1 & 2.
MOLASSES.
RICE.

For Sale by
A. RICKMAN,

MINERS SUPPLIED

AT THE

Lowest Possible Rates, by

A. RICKMAN,
Cor. of Government and Fort Streets.

FRESH RECEIPTS OF SELECT GROCERIES, ETC.,

by every steamer from San Francisco and Portland, and by sailing vessels from

LONDON AND HONOLULU,

which I offer at the lowest possible prices

A. RICKMAN,
Wholesale & Retail Grocer,
ap20 1m Cor. Government and Fort Streets

Notice to Contractors & Builders.

TENDERS FOR LABOR AND MATERials necessary for the erection of a wood, hard finished Villa Residence, to be built on the corner of Fort and Moss streets, will be received at the office of the undersigned till the 11th day of May next.

Plans and specifications to be seen at my office daily from the 6th of May, from 10 a.m. 3 till p.m.

CHARLES VEREYDHEN,
Architect, Government St.
Victoria, April 18th, 1872. ap18

Barnard's Express

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS admitted Stephen Tingley and James Hamilton into Partnership in the above business from and after first day of April instant. The business will be continued henceforth under the name of F. J. Barnard & Co. F. J. BARNARD.

Yale, April 13th, 1872.
ap18 1m Dominion Herald copy.

New Advertisements.

WANTED.

A WOMAN TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork and take charge of a child. Apply to
MRS. R. W. TURNER,
ap18tf North Park street.

New Goods!

GRUNBAUM BROS.

JOHNSON STREET,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM

EUROPE

TOBACCO—Turkish, in paper and tins
TROUSERINGS—Heavy Cassimeres
BUTTONS—Coat and vest Buttons, assorted
LEATHER—French Calf and Kip, Santa Cruz, Sole and Trimmings
SHOE FINDINGS
BERLIN WOOL—Finest Quality and Colors
CROCHET NEEDLES
CIGAR HOLDERS—Amber
PIPES—Meerschaum and Briar-root, & Cherry Stems
POUCHES—Prince of Wales and others
BOOKS—Pocket and Notice
ALBUMS—All descriptions
KNIVES—Pocket, Pen and Sheath
MOCK JEWELERY
COMBS—A full assortment
GOGGLES AND SPECTACLES
LOOKING GLASSES—All kinds
HAIR OIL, Pomade and Scent
MONEY BAGS and Purses
BRUSHES—All descriptions
BOOTS & SHOES
HATS & CAPS—Large assortment
FLANNEL SHIRTS—30 doz blue-grey
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The French Laundry,

CHATHAM ST, bet. Douglas and Government.

Has been Removed to the Building

Two doors above the old stand.

WASHING FOR HOTELS AND FAMilies of every kind in the best manner.

Clothes returned in 24 hours after being left at the Laundry, if desirered.

LACHAUX & CO. begs a continuance of the patronage of their old customers and thank them for past favors.

mh24 LACHAUX & CO.

A RAFFLE

WILL TAKE PLACE AT THE MERCHANT'S EXCHANGE, (under Odd Fellows' Hall) on WEDNESDAY, May 1st, 1872, at 8 o'clock p. m., for a valuable Diamond Pin, Massive Gold Ring, Solid Gold Pen and Pencil Case, Masonic Apron, Sash and Gold Pin. Also, a Silver Ring.

The articles can be seen at H FORMAN'S at the above place.

SIX PRIZES—TICKETS $1 EACH. ap17

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PUBLISHED EVERY MONDAY MORNING at Seattle, Washington Territory, is the

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Best Quality ONLY.

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By R. SEABROOK,
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CARRYING

Her MAJESTY'S MAILS

WILL COMMENCE

On APRIL 1st

TO MAKE

WEEKLY TRIPS

TO

CARIBOO!!

Connecting at YALE with the Steamer "ONWARD"

CAPT. WM. IRVING,

And at SODA CREEK with the

STEAMER "VICTORIA"

CAPT. G. B. WRIGHT,

Stages leave Yale on arrival of ONWARD on Mondays, and arrive at Barkerville on Fridays.

Leave Barkerville on Saturdays and arrive at Yale on Thursdays in time to connect with the steamer for New Westminster.

FARES:

To Barkerville, - $60
To Soda Creek, - $45

EXTRAS will be sent out when required.

FAST FREIGHT contracted for.

F. J. BARNARD.

Victoria, March 12th, 1872. mh13

New Advertisements

FARMERS FARMERS!

The undersigned has now on hand the Best Assortment of

Agricultural Implements

ON THIS COAST,

INCLUDING

Dodge's Mowers and Reapers,
Buckeye Mowers and Reapers,
Clipper Mowers of all sizes,
Wood's Mowers,
Fanning Mills,
Seed Drills,
Seed Sowers,
Gang Ploughs,
Side Hill Ploughs,
Boston Clipper Ploughs,
Churns of all sizes,
Horse Hay Rakes.

EDGAR MARVIN,

AGRICULTURAL DEPOT

WHARF STREET - - VICTORIA, B.C

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New Advertisement!!

LEWIS LEWIS

Begs to inform his Customers and the Public in General that he has received his First Importation of

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS!

CONSISTING OF ALL THE NEWEST STYLES OF

COATS, PANTS & VESTS,

HUMPTY DUMPTY & STRAW HATS

Of Every Fashionable Shape.

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Telescopes
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Cornets
Walking Canes
Masks
Dominoes
Fish Globes
Propagat'g Glasses
Glass Shades
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LONDON BAZAAR,

BRICK BUILDING, Cor Government and Fort Streets

JUST RECEIVED

EX "LADY LAMPSON,"

185 CASES

Toys & Fancy Goods

Japanese Ware, Furnishing Hardware, Glassware,

CANE SEAT AND MAHOGANY CHAIRS, UMBRELLA STANDS LOOKING GLASSES, SHELLS, SHELL WORK BOOKS, STATIONERY BEST PLATED JEWELRY, ALBUMS, SCRAPS, PHOTOGRAPHS

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Scent Cases
Albums
Cde Visite Frames
Picture Frames
Picture Moulding
Mirrors
Carved Brackets
Flowerpot Covers
Flower Tubes
Toilet Sets
Hair Brushes
Cloth Brushes
Perfumery
Vases
Children's Tea Services
Carpet Bags
Valises
Mantle Ornaments
Fenders

A Card

A la Societe des Dames Francaises de Victoria, B.C., pour la deliverance de la Patrie.

Madame la Presidente,

MESDAMES:—A la vue des maux sans nombre qui ont accable notre malheureuse Patrie, et qui pesent encore si lourdement sur Elle; un cour de femme s'est dit Je sauverai la France! A cette voix du cour des millions de voix ont repondu. Et ici meme si loin de la Patrie, cette voix a ete entendue, et vous vous etes empresses mesdames, de suivre un si noble exemple, en fondant la Societe des Dames Fragaises de Victoria.

Graces a vos genereux efforts une premiere mise de fonds a ete reunie; chacun a compris votre noble mission, en se faisant un bonheur de s' y associer. Des irex a mon tour d'ajouter mon obole au tresor de la Patrie, je vie s vous prier d'accepter le benefice que pourra realiser une fete que j'ai l'intention de donner avec l'assistance de mes compatriots le 4 Mai prochain a mon nouvel Hotel.

Dans l'espoir, Mesdames, que vous accepterez mon offrande si humble,

Daignez agreer l'assurance du profond respect avec lequel j'ai l'honneur d'etre, Mesdames,

Votre tres humble serviteur,
S. DRIARD.

Driard House, View street,
Victoria, B.C., Avril 14, 1872.

A Monsieur S. Driard, proprietaire de Driard House,

MONSIEUR:—Au nom de la Societe des Dames Frangaise organisee a Victoria pour la delivrance de la Patrie, je vous remergie pour votre aimable proposition de devouer le benefice d'une fete que vous vous proposez de donner, avec l'assistance de vos compatriotes le 4 Mai, a de votre nouvel Hotel, pour contribuer a cette couvre patriotique.

Ces Dames acceptent avec reconnaissance votre offre generouse et elles apprecient votre devouement et votre patriotism, Veuillez agreer, Monsieur,

L'assurance de ma consideration distinguee,
V. PETIBEAU.

Presidente de la Societe des Dames Frangaises de Victoria pour la delivrance de la Patrie.

Victoria, B.C., Avril 15, 1872. ap18 1wd&w

SITUATION WANTED.

BY A YOUNG MAN OF GOOD CHARACter. Apply to A. R. at this Office, mh20 1m

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Spring Styles

HATS,

JUST RECEIVED BY

R. BEAVEN.

Government Street.
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FOR SALE,

ONE NEW FIRST CLASS

McCORMICK'S

SELF RAKING COMBINED

Reaper and Mower!!

PRICE $200.

Apply at the Office of Wells Fargo & Co. ap20

CANADIAN TARIFF

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF MILK.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE CANADIAN Tariff being adopted, from and after the 1st April I shall reduce the Price of Milk to 40 cents per gallon retail and 30 cents per gallon wholesale.

Customers taking one gallon per day considered wholesale.

HENRY SMITH,
Proprietor Fairfield Farm Dairy.

N.B.—Orders left at Stafford & Hicken's promptly attended to. mh20

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Tuesday Morning, April 23, 1872.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED

April 22—Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westm'r
Stmr California, Hayes, Portland
Stmr Otter, Lewis, Nanaimo
Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend

CLEARED.

April 22—Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westm'r
Slp Ocean Queen, Dick, San Juan
Slp Eagle, Pritchard, San Juan
Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend

PASSENGERS.

Per stmr North Pacific, fm Puget Sound—Mrs Montano Mrs Hemington and son, Mrs Ballard, Messrs Dover, Hillot, Taylor, McCabe, Wallace, Holden, Griffin, Kenear, Proltroo, Prister, Ames, Von Holder, Cooper, Linwood, Price, Anderson, Fisher, and 23 others.

Per stmr California, fm Portland—A De Sequiera, Thos Carey, F Saunders and child, R Stevens.

IMPORTS.

Per stmr California, fm Portland—4723 pks flour and merchandise, 425 sks bran.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr California, fm Portland—A Rickman, A Casamayou & Co, C Bossi, D Leneveu, Ellard, J Gosnell, J Rueff, Promis & Saunders, R Carr, S Nesbitt, Wallace & Hutcheson, Young & White, Eakins & Co, Wells, Fargo & Co, Welch, Rithet & Co, AM, FE, JG, WM.

Auction Sales To-Day.

J.P. DAVIES & CO.....Wharf street.....Will sell at 12 o'clock, on the premises, Victoria District, Horses Carriages, Harness, Cattle, Hay, Guns, Watches, &c.

Help the Orphans.

Elsewhere will be found the programme for the projected grand fete and bazaar, to be held at the new Convent buildings on the 1st proximo, for the benefit of the orphans. It is seldom that duty and pleasure are more happily and gracefully combined than upon this occasion. The object is a truly Catholic one. It is as broad as Christianity itself—broader than Christianity, for it comes with irresistible force to the heart and conscience of every civilized man. That man whose heart does not respond to a legitimate appeal to help the orphan must, indeed, be lost to the better instincts of humanity, to say nothing of the higher teachings of religion. 'But,' pleads one, 'I am not of this communion, and cannot consistently countenance a system of religion in which I do not believe.' The devil is the author of that excuse. Christ's command is to 'help the fatherless and the widow'; and if Protestantism has left to Roman Catholicism the sole work and responsibility of providing for the orphans of this country, shall the former draw tight her purse-strings, shut up her bowels of mercy, and turn away from a soft and graceful appeal for help on the score of the different shades of religious belief in the Christian Church? Such conduct is not in harmony with the teachings and practice of 'Him, who while on earth went about doing good to *all*.' The claims of the present object do not need to be urged here. They are sufficiently known to all and must commend themselves to all. Let Protestantism come out of its shell and make some amends for its own neglect of the orphans by extending a little help to those who have borne the whole burden so gracefully.

Opening of the Canadian Parliament.

From a delayed dispatch we learn that the Dominion Parliament opened on the 11st inst. The Governor-General in a speech opening the the session urges measures for the encouragement of immigration; expresses gratification at the union of British Columbia with the Dominion; and recommends a consummation of the project for a Pacific Railroad, the improvement of canals, and the establishment of direct water communication between the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Bay of Fundy. In reference to the Washington Treaty, he simply calls the attention of Parliament to the fact that so much of the document as can be properly made public will be laid before them.

UPPER RIVER STEAMBOAT.—Messrs Marvin & Wright notify that the steamer Victoria will commence her trips from Soda Creek to Quesnelle about the 1st proximo. Freight has been fixed at the rate of one cent per pound, and passage at $5. A new feature in this business, and one which possesses some importance to shippers of goods, is the fact that goods will be forwarded from Quesnelle to William or Lightning Creeks free of any charge for storage or forwarding.

PUGET SOUND.—General Sprague declines nomination as Delegate to Congress..... The Olympia *Tribune* claims that the Garfielde men have sustained utter and irretrievable defeat, and it places the picture of a cock in the act of crowing over the announcement .....The Presbyterian Synod of Oregon and Washington Territory is appointed to meet at Olympia on the 10th proximo..... A new church is in course of erection in Seattle by the Baptists of that town.

NEW STEAMER.—The California, on her last trip from Portland, brought up to Olympia boiler and engines for a schooner, owned by the Hon. A. Francis of this city, and which is now being converted into a steamer to be used by Mr. Francis in the Alaska trade.

SALE TO-DAY.—At the farm of Mr. J. D. Pemberton, to-day, will be offered by auction a large number of valuable articles, several head of cattle, a lady's horse, harness and wagonette. Also, a handsome pony carriage, the property of Mr. J. H. Turner.

N.P.R.R.—Messrs Goodwin, Sprague, Smith and Morris, of the N. P. Railroad Company, are at Olympia for the purpose, it is rumored, of locating the Terminus City by the 1st of May. Surveys are going on on both sides of Budd's Inlet.

POLICE COURT.—Two young boys, who were charged with attempting to set fire to a building on Broughton street, were discharged. Jim, a Hydah Indian, charged with assaulting another, was fined $20, or, in default, two months' imprisonment.

FOR PORTLAND DIRECT.—The steamer California will leave leave for Sound ports to-day to take in freight, and will return here on Wednesday and leave for Portland direct on Friday.

THANKS to Messrs Clancy and Crosby for files of late papers and other favors.

Rambles in our Suburbs.

Strolling round, after an absence of some three years from your city, I have been agreeably surprised to notice the many improvements that have taken place in the interim; not only are the roads in excellent condition, but a number of new avenues for travel have been opened, rivalling in order those of older existence—broken hand-rails over bridges have been repaired—fallen fences restored, and viaducts formerly filled with broken glass bottles and rusty iron-hoops, have been filled in and are now smiling gardens.

In the wide spread vicinity of Victoria it is rare to see a house with those ominous words "To Let." The private residences are invariably surrounded with gardens in the neatest trim as if the inhabitants of those houses had intended to make Victoria their home, and as to the gardens there are abundant indications that the owners appreciate a dish of greens, peas, young potatoes, and have the old country love of flowers.

But what to a father's heart is most particularly pleasing is the appearance of the children playing around with the glow of health on their cheek, and their faces radiant with happiness. We fear we are getting extatic, but we can't help it, for the sun to-day is so genial, and nature released from her wintry imprisonment, decked in her new Spring apparel, is resplendent in beauty. as a little well-timed praise sometimes does a world of good, allow me to compliment with reference to the kind treatment of those of the population sprung from Indian mothers and fathers of the white race; here, I see them neatly dressed and abundant evidence of their being taken care of.

In different parts of the Sound where I have lately been I have almost uniformly seen such children left to the tender mercies of their Indian tribes, and have often been pained to see a little bright-eyed child with face fair as any of the white race, dragged along in ragged attire, without shoe or stocking, amongst the motley gathering of the Indian people.

Attracted by the Cricket Match coming off, I wended my way to Beacon Hill, which I found still lovely as ever, but that its natural beauty had not been assisted by the hand of man. A rustic seat at the summit of the hill, would surely be an improvement, and an accommodation, but as none has been provided, I shall take a seat on one of these large grey boulders, and take in a fill of happiness from survey of the glorious scenery before me—*Au revoir.*

W. K. B.

Queen's Birthday Regatta.

A large number of gentlemen assembled last evening at the Boomerang to arrange the carrying out of a Regatta on the Queen's Birthday. Dr Matthews was called to the Chair and the following resolutions adopted:—

1st.—That the Queen's Birthday be celebrated by a Regatta.

2d.—That a Committee be appointed to carry out the resolution.

3d.—That the Committee be requested to wait on His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir James Douglas and the officers of H.M.Navy to ask their co-operation.

Mr Johnson moved that the Regatta be held in the harbor so as to allow sailing matches to take place as well as rowing matches.—Lost.

Mr Stuart moved that it be held on the Arm near the Gorge, and that sailing matches be commended to the attention of the Committee. Seconded and carried.

It was resolved that the Committee be instructed to hold out every inducement to rowing-men from the Sound, New Westminster and Burrard Inlet by making arrangements with the Captains of the steamers to bring them over at as a low rate as possible.

A subscription list was then opened and upwards of $100 was subscribed.

The meeting, after appointing the Committee with power to add to their number, then adjourned.

A meeting of the Committee was then held, Dr. Matthews in the Chair. Mr. Keast was appointed Treasurer, and Mr. R. Green, Secretary, and a sub-Committee was drawn up to wait on His Excellency the Governor, Sir Ja. Douglas, and the Officers of H.M.'s Navy, consisting of the Mayor, the Chairman, and J. G. Stuart, Esq.

The following members were then appointed to collect subscriptions;—The Chairman, Messrs. Keast, *Minn*, Payne, Browne, Vaughan, Griffin and LaChapelle.

The Secretary was instructed to leave subscription lists at the Banks of B. C., and B. N. A., Wells-Fargo's, the Colonial, Boomerang, T. N. Hibben & Co., Brown Jug, Frank Campbell's and Fred Payne's.

The Committee then adjourned till Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m., sharp.

THIS EVENING'S LECTURE.—Let us give our old friend Mr. W. K. Bull a bumper house to-night. He is none of your dry-as-dust speakers, but knows well how to entertain an audience. We hope to see a good crowd to-night. Reserved seats, 50 cents; other parts, 25 cents.

FRANK LINDERS, for many years a resident of British Columbia, died at Olympia on Saturday the 20th inst, and was buried by the Odd Fellows, of which Order he was a member. The funeral was very largely attended.

THE southern line was down again yesterday. The northern line, however, was raised in the afternoon and some private messages came through.

CHRIST CHURCH. — Messrs McCreight and Ward were re-elected Church-Wardens yesterday. A Church Committee of twelve were also elected.

A HORSE from the American side is in training on the Island for the Spring races. It is said that he has beaten the famous Greyhound.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived from the Sound at 1:45 p.m. yesterday with several passengers and a small mail and Express. She leaves to-day at noon.

FOR THE EAST COAST. — The steamer Sir James Douglas leaves for Comox, Nanaimo and way ports at 7 this a.m., and will not return till Saturday next.

THE ex-P. Sound steamer Olympia has been offered for sale to the *Mexican* Government and the offer declined.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.—Mr. Robert Williams we hear, has accepted an appointment as a member of this Board.

THE stmr Enterprise leaves at 9 this morning for New Westminster.

BREEDING STOCK.—An Act was passed during the late session to prevent the running at large during certain specified seasons of stallions, bulls and boars. In order to allay misapprehension it may be proper to state that the Act contains a clause providing that it shall not be applied to any District unless petitioned for by two-thirds of the resident house-holders.

THE propeller California, from Portland on the 26th inst., arrived in this harbor on Sunday morning having made the trip round the Sound. Her cargo for Victoria is nearly all flour. Purser Gooddue has our thanks for late papers.

STEAMBOAT LILLOOET.—Two fine boilers for the Fraser River steamboat Lillooet arrived by the W. H. Meyer from San Francisco.

POSTPONED.—His Excellency the Lieut. Governor has postponed his contemplated trip to the East Coast until after the departure of the mail steamship.

PASSED UP THE SOUND YESTERDAY.. — The clipper ships Isaac Jeans and Grace Darling, from San Francisco, The Grace Darling had a five days' passage.

AFTER a heavy fall of rain and a warm wind, the wind suddenly veered to the west last evening and blew strong and cold all night.

THE annual meeting of St. John's church congregation will be held to-morrow afternoon.

FEAST OF THE PASSOVER.—The Jewish Feast of Passover commenced at sunset last evening and will continue eight days.

Un-Fair Play.

EDITOR COLONIST.—Your correspondent of Sunday, over the signature of "Fair Play," perpetrates a very serious piece of foul play. The ground on which the case of the Corporation vs. Wilson was decided was not such as he states, nor was the rule (in effect) laid down that two public houses may be "run" under two licenses.

MR Bishop, who appeared for the Corporation, stated that he was instructed not to press for a penalty; and upon the promise of the defendant that the offence (which, it was clear, he had committed under a misapprehension). should not be repeated he was discharged.

Yours, LICENSE.

Land vs. Water.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST.—In your leading article in Saturday's issue of the COLONIST concerning communication by water and land with the East Coast Settlements of this Island, much that you urge is in the right direction. We would, however, suggest in addition to what you have written on the subject, that there shall be two trips per week made by the steamer, instead of one; the increasing importance of the interests on the East Coast, and the fact that at present this is the only means of communication, render this necessary.

You very truly remark that there ARE those who advocate the immediate construction of a waggon-road from Victoria to Comox, and they constitute a large majority of the voters in the districts interested; their representatives this session were afraid to move in the matter for fear that their money grants for local purposes would be seriously diminished by so doing. (A mistaken policy.)

If, *Mr* Editor, you would compare the merits and otherwise as to the utility of this road in an impartial manner, we think you could give us a much more imposing set of arguments in favor of this work than you have in the article referred to against it.

The first objection you put forward as against the building of the road is this: "That supposing the road completed, the traffic would not be sufficient to keep down the growth of weeds and brushwood." This is mere assertion at best, and one which requires a decided stretch of the imagination to believe possible. Again you ask, "How many farmers possess the teams and conveyances suitable for undertaking a journey of from fifty to one hundred and fifty miles?" We ask you, sir, why should the farmers go to the expense of procuring these teams, &c., suitable for long journeys when they have no road to use them on? Again, your argument implies that these teams, &c., would be wanted for the transporting of grain, &c., when anyone at all conversant with the East Coast and its capabilities must be aware that it will never supply this market with any such article, stock-raising and dairy-farming, &c., being the only remunerative occupations. You next ask, "How will it pay?" Let us take for example *Comox*. Ask one of its settlers with his one opportunity a month, or twelve a year, of reaching market, whether it will pay him. Nanaimo is *his* market; and this waggon road is the very thing he wants. Take Cowichan. A farmer starts with several head of cattle. he first incurs great risk of loss in getting his stock on board the steamer; and what between freight and charges, the depreciation of his cattle, his forced stay in town until return of steamer, he may well ask himself whether *this* pays. A road would obviate all this and for transport of all such produce as would come from Cowichan would be greatly in advance of weekly water transit. Your remaining argument is the same in effect as the first and from this fact we presume you attach great importance to it, viz, "Years must transpire before there would be sufficient traffic to keep the road from relapsing into primeval FOREST." Again we have this overpowering ASSERTION, and in this case it verges on the ridiculous. The great argument in favor of the road is this, that it would be a great means of opening up a considerable portion of this Island; where there is one settler now between Victoria and Comox, there would be six, all good land lying within two or three miles of the road would be utilized, land (of which plenty exists) which now no one wants because it is practically inaccessible. Far from the road being overgrown, it would be a source of wealth directly or indirectly to the whole colony, converting as it would the east coast of this Island into one large farming district.

A. C.

[Is our correspondent aware of the fact that the road which was made several years ago at an expense of some fifty thousand dollars, has grown up for want of use?—ED.]

MRS. LANGE'S DANCING ACADEMY in the Royal Exchange Hall continues to attract large and respectable assemblies of ladies and gentlemen. The regular class evenings are Tuesdays and Fridays, from 8 to 10. The class is and will be always kept in a most select style.

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By Electric Telegraph

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

SUNDAYS DISPATCHES

Europe.

LONDON, April 19.—Other countries are demanding of France an abolation of the pasport system.

The Ausberg *Gazette* asserts the correctness of the statement of the *Daily Telegraph*, that the invasion of France is imminent, unless the military preparations there is discontinued, and says that this is the purpose of the policy of Bismarck. The *Gazette* says, all German soldiers with short period terms, who were sent home at the end of the war, have been called to their corps.

A *Daily News'* Berlin special denies the story of Bismarck sending an ultimatum to the French Government. Von Arnim did convey a dispatch from Bismarck, but its tenor is very pacific, and flattering to Thiers. The German Premier states his conviction that peace will endure between the two nations as long as Thiers remains in power. He complains, however, of the distrust of the good intentions of Germany, manifested by the people of France.

The *Times* describes the British counter case as conceived in a grave, statesmanlike spirit, while the American case reads like an advocate's speech to a jury, in a trial for assault and battery. England's reply reads like the utterance of a judge.

The *Telegraph* says that studying, with impartiality, the counter case, it finds reason to fear, not only for the claims, but for anything more; for instance an overestatement, and the inconsistency brought against them; till the greater fabrics of laborious ingenuity tremble to the foundation.

Other city journals have articles on the subject. They discuss the American and British cases as presented to the Geneva Conference, and continue to draw a contrast between them very unfavorable to the American case.

A Hong Kong telegram says the French steamer Ahate collided with the steamer Rona off the China coast. The Rona sunk and sixty passengers are supposed to be drowned.

LIVERPOOL, April 19.—A fire has been raging among the timber at Laird's ship yard, Birkenhead, since morning. The loss was great; two persons were killed by the falling of burning wood.

There was an explosion on the steamer Illisan (?) in the Mersey this morning. Four men were killed, and three dangerously burt.

MADRID, April 20.—Don Carlos has carried out his intention of issuing a manifesto protesting against the manner in which the recent election of members.

PARIS, April 20.—The Archbishop of Paris, and several other members of the Catholic Clergy, having issued decrees promulgating the doctrine of Papal infallibility, the newspapers of the city declare it illegal.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 20. — Arrived — This morning, steamer Olympia, from Guaymas.

Sailed—Grace Roberts, Port Townsend.

When the steamer Olympia left Guaymas, it was not known there that *Mazatlan* had been re-occupied by the Federals.

Flour market quiet.

Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 20.—Gen. Naverez's Revolutionary Government at San Luis Potosi has been defeated.

An earthquake occurred on the 27th., in Oaxaca, which killed many persons and destroyed many churches and dwellings.

Juarez, in a message to Congress, said: The rebellion is crushed, but he still clings to his dictatorial powers and asks for the extension of his ample facilities.

Mr. Romeron, Minister of Finance, says the Juarez administration will be the last independent government of Mexico. It is believed Juarez will deliver the country over to the States before allowing the opposition power to rule.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Canada.

OTTAWA, April 18—In the Dominion Parliament yesterday Macker submitted a motion asking the Government for copies of papers concerning the location of the St. Clair flats canal. He claims that the whole canal was located on Canadian territory. The Government conceded that the United States had jurisdiction over it. This he argued was dangerous to Canada, as it placed it in the power of the United States to shut her vessels off from the passage between Lakes Erie and Huron. The motion was adopted without further debate.

West Indies.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, April 15, via Havana April 18—U. S. steamer Edgar Stuart, with a cargo of war material, flying American colors and supposed to belong to Cuban revolutionists, arrived here in distress to-day. She was seized by the commander of this port as a legal prize, the steamer not being provided with clearance papers. The American Consul protests against the seizure and forwards documents in the case to Washington to-day.

Europe.

At his reception, March 15th, M. Thiers said: "He would not resort to a plebiscite, but he was not afraid of a direct appeal to the people. The Bonapartists he was not afraid of; he was sure that they could not muster a million and a half of votes. The revolutionists were completely cowed. The country was prosperous and happy, and only too glad of the continuance of the present regime. The relations with Austria and Italy were most satisfactory; if he were only let alone all would be well." Some one having asked a question about the army, M Thiers declared that its condition and feeling was all that could be desired. "The army," he said, "is not Bonapartist. I, who live in the midst of camps, know exactly what the soldier feels."

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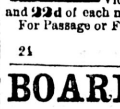

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WILLIAM WHITE, Secretary.

Post Office Department, Canada,
Ottawa, March 8th, 1872.

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Correspondence.

To MR. W. K. BULL,

SIR.—Having noticed in the Sound newspapers comments of approbation of your Lecture on "Sixteen Years in Australia," and dramatic representation of Longfellow's "Blind Bartimeus restored to sight," we, the undersigned tender you a complimentary benefit on the occasion of the return of yourself and family to reside amongst us:

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REPLY.

GENTLEMEN.—Permit me to thank you kindly for this proposal and to name Tuesday evening, April 23d, at 8 o'clock at the Mechanic's Institute.

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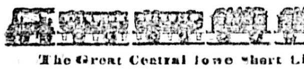

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